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Highlights for DCI

20 September - 4 October

20 September:

- NSC Meeting yesterday (Sunday, 19 September) and today in the wake of the aftermath of the massacre in Lebanon.

21 September:

- NFIB Meeting: Approved, with minor revisions in the Key Judgments, a SNIE on Pakistan but agreed to hold distribution until 29 September when Dick Kennedy, State will brief Congress on this subject.
- President drafted speech that he delivered today on U.S. moves in reaction to the massacre in Lebanon.
- FYI, Memorandum from Ed Meese (Attachment 1), on mid-term planning exercise to review with Cabinet members accomplishments to date and key remaining issues during the next two years of this Administration's term.

22 September:

- NSC on oil pipeline sanctions, chaired by the President.
- Vignettes [redacted]
 - Possibility of a socialist takeover in Spain resulting in a government more conservative than the present one;
 - [redacted]
- Clark Meeting.

23 September:

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- Reviewed background on request to pick-up [redacted] travel expenses; after consulting with OGC, advised McFarlane and McPherson that we could not legally help.
- SIG(I) on space policy:
 - Agreed to avoid micro-management of programmatic areas.
 - Agreed to focus on policy.

-- McFarlane to chair an IG. ~~SECRET~~

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28 September:

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- Met with [] who o.k's IRDC reviewing the technical aspects of his programs.
- Meeting with Frank Press on National Academy of Sciences study on technology transfer:
 - Concluded, mistakenly, that not much technology transfer can be traced to U.S. universities.
 - On the plus side, did agree to cooperate closely with the government to give the government 60 days to review papers done under contract to determine if they should be classified.

29 September:

- Good session with General Stubblebine, INSCOM.
- Clark Meeting:

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30 September:

- Briefed HPSCI on training site for DDO; Committee now strongly favors the site.
- Attended NSC chaired by the President:
 - Informational briefing on Polish debt situation.

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- Discussed precarious Latin America financial picture.

- Meeting with []

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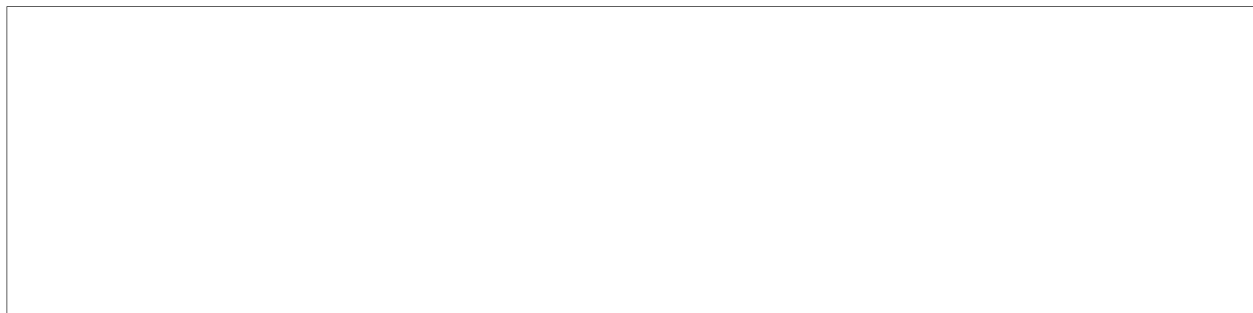
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- See attached memcon on Secretary Shultz's meeting with Gromyko. (Attachment 6)
- FYI: Vice President Bush will be visiting Africa 10-23 November in case you want to share any information from your trip with him.

4 October:

- Because Kennedy (Ambassador at Large/Nuclear Proliferation) was not able to get to Congress before the recess to brief them on the Pakistani Nuclear Program, went ahead and released the Pakistani SNIE.
- See attached Memo for the Record (Attachment 7) on the Dobrynin-Eagleburger 3 October meeting.

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- To ensure that NIOs are properly advised of information relevant to the areas that they need to do their jobs, we have established [redacted] as the control point for passing on as appropriate sensitive material, including blue border material.

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5 October:

- NSC Meeting. Rather than forego the opportunity to brief the President, Judge Clark agreed to our briefing him on: summary of our covert action programs; recent progress in clandestine Sigint collection; the Soviet space program (showed a DDI video tape). UNCODED
- See Tab 8 for an interim assessment of the book War in Space.

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